

ORDER NO. 13 458

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**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

UW 158

In the Matter of

SALMON VALLEY WATER
COMPANY,

Request for a General Rate Revision.

ORDER

DISPOSITION: TARIFF SHEETS SUSPENDED


On November 25, 2013, Salmon Valley Water Company filed tariff sheets in Advice No. 13-14 to be effective December 31, 2013. The filing seeks a general increase in customer rates. We find good and sufficient cause exists to investigate the propriety and reasonableness of the tariff sheets under ORS 757.210 and 757.215.

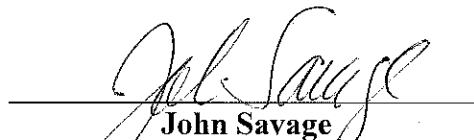
ORS 757.215(1) authorizes the suspension of a rate filing for a period not to exceed nine months. Although the statute contemplates that the maximum suspension would occur in two steps—an initial six-month suspension followed by a second three-month suspension if necessary—we conclude at this time that a full nine-month suspension is necessary to investigate this general rate proceeding.

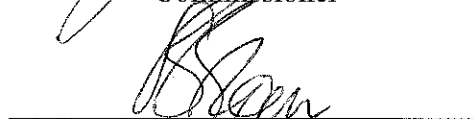
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IT IS ORDERED that Advice No. 13-14 filed by Salmon Valley Water Company is suspended for a period of time not to exceed nine months from December 31, 2013, the effective date of the tariff sheets.

Made, entered, and effective DEC 09 2013


Susan K. Ackerman
Chair


John Savage
Commissioner


Stephen M. Bloom
Commissioner

